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Applicants: ROBERT BJEKOVIC ET AL.

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Title: COMPONENT WITH AN INNER FABRIC AND PROCESS FOR
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

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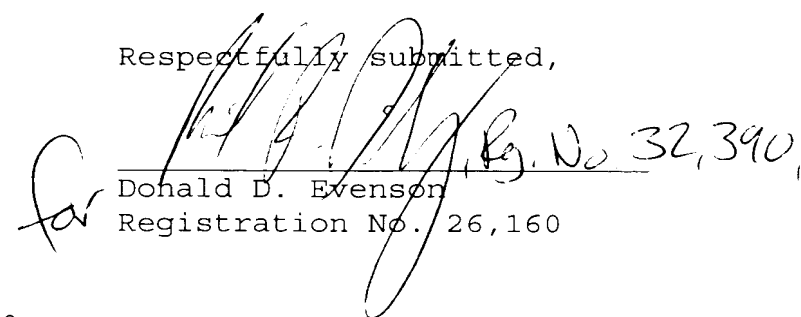
Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by one month pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket # 225/49820). A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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